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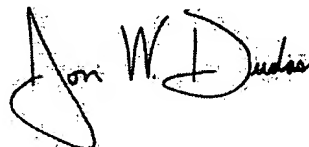
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page, Item [54] and Column 1, line 1,

Title, change "**METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR AND
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**" to
-- **METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR LASER OPTICAL
DEVICE** --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

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